

GAMES BOWLED IN FOUR LOCAL LEAGUES

Lord Sets New Mark for Best Individual Average.

CARROLLS WIN FULL SET

Bureau Takes Two From Interiors, and Second National and Lighting Company Are Winners.

The Carroll Institute bowlers got together last night and decided it was about time they were doing something in the winning line, as the team was down too close to the bottom in the District League standing. With this resolve they adjourned to the alleys of the South Washington Business Men's Club and made good their pledge by winning the full set of three games from the home team. In doing this remarkable trick the team set new figures for local league totals by rolling 2,778, ten better than the record made last week by the Interior Department team.

The bowling of the visiting team was something like last year's standard, and 884 was the low game, the others being 972 and 922.

Spies had high average with 204, and two of his games were 212 each. Stitt was second with 196 average, and he had a 224 single string. Gorman's first game, 245, is the highest single bowled in this league this season. He fell down badly in his other games. Armstrong was high man for his side, with 188 average.

The scores:	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Kidd	154	152	196	502
Gould	151	161	135	447
Leimbach	151	181	177	509
Bishop	129	121	135	385
Armstrong	195	200	187	582
Totals	780	818	805	2,403

*McCaffrey bowled third game.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Gorman	245	171	157	573
Stitt	164	201	224	589
Rice	163	135	169	467
Cox	188	190	160	538
Spies	212	181	212	605
Totals	972	884	922	2,778

Bank Clerks' League.

By winning three games from the American Security Company last night on the Palace alleys the Second National Bank team broke the tie and now has a clear lead at the top of the Bank Clerks' League standing, with 791, as against their rivals, 762.

The team is bowling a strong game, and its lowest total last night was 813, and its third game, 882, is the highest rolled by any team in this league.

Scharf was high man, with 184 average; Barclay was next, with 176 average. Lee's 201 was best single game, and he led his team with 174 average.

The scores:	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Sec. Nat'l.	167	164	180	529
Wirt	114	145	157	416
Lewis	186	176	189	551
Wyman	150	149	160	459
Barclay	158	182	187	527
Totals	813	829	882	2,524

Am. Sec'y Co. 1st.

Pimper.....	137	105	127	369
Holden.....	175	128	158	461
Ravenburg.....	159	97	122	378
Tracy.....	125	125	135	385
Leet.....	188	134	201	523
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Totals.....	784	589	743	2,116

Departmental League.

The Bureau team drew farther away from the "Interiors" last night by winning two games from them in a set in the Departmental League series. If Land had been able to gather in the spare in the last frame of his third game, the Bureau would have taken the set, losing by only seven pins. Neither team bowed below 900, and the winners' first total was an even 900. Unmistakably marked the individual bowling on both teams, but the Interiors suffered most. The games were bowled on the Palace alleys, and were witnessed by a large crowd.

Lord began with 192 and finished with 222, which was best single, and his average of 213 sets a new mark for local bowling, topping Barr's record earned on Thursday by three pins. Land had next best average with 184.

The scores:	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Interior.	156	153	153	462
Cooper	152	168	130	450
Livingston	196	146	187	529
Leimon	148	184	183	515
Bunn	144	177	183	504
Garrett	144	177	183	504
Totals	806	887	886	2,579

Bureau

Total	896	851	889	2,636
Bureau	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total
Hess	144	170	142	456
Lord	192	214	232	638
Helmerich	169	158	163	500
Hardie	193	123	171	487
Land	202	180	171	553

Railway Relief League.

The Lighting Company took two games from the Roadway quint last night in a set in the Railway Relief Association League. Neither team bowled up to its standard, and high totals were lacking. The first game was won by 65 pins, the second by only 3, and the third was lost by a big margin.

Holt had the honors last night, with 165 average, and Staub was next with 159, and Folson's 200 was best single string.

The score:	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Roadway.	178	180	120	478
Shaffer	120	121	160	401
Neale	123	116	144	383
Rivers	155	160	170	485
J. O'Connell	146	146	162	454
Totals	723	663	757	2,153

Light, Co.

Totals	188	366	107	2,10
Light, Co.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total
Wilson	170	134	128	432
Connor	107	102	99	308
Folsom	200	125	118	443
McLaughlin	142	126	128	395
Holt	179	168	149	496

JOHN T. BRUSH HOLDS DELEHANTY'S CONTRACT

President of New York Club Succeeds in Signing the Crack Fielder.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Delehanty has signed to play on the New York team. This was definitely settled yesterday when John T. Brush, president of the New York Baseball Club, arrived from the West with a contract signed by the famous player.

The contract which Mr. Brush has in his possession, and signed by Delehanty, calls for three years, and it gives to the local club a player that has been much sought, and one that will surely make the team one of the most formidable in the league.

Mr. Brush's arrival sets at rest all the rumors regarding Delehanty. It has been denied several times that the New York club was successful in getting him, but it looks as though Mr. Brush's trip West was not an idle one.

The amount Delehanty is to receive for

coming to New York is not mentioned, but Secretary Knowles said last night that the figures must have been very satisfactory to the player, and he admitted that the club was perfectly satisfied with the deal so far as the figures were concerned.

In addition to Delehanty Mr. Brush had with him another contract that will give the New York club a young player named Charles Babb, who played on the Indianapolis team last year.

Babb covered third base, and he is said to be one of the best infielders in the West. His playing last season is said to have been on the sensational order.

President Brush was well pleased with his success in securing two such players, as he is well aware that they will go far to assist the Giants in winning the pennant next year.

AMATEUR WRESTLING AT CARROLL INSTITUTE

Winners of Qualifying Round Will Meet Tonight.

The wrestling tournament open to local amateurs which began last night at Carroll Institute, is one of the most interesting, and at the same time, the largest event of the kind ever held here.

The sport was of a high class and Prof. Maurice A. Joyce, who was instrumental in arranging the affair, deserves credit for furnishing such good contests, and for successfully managing the long line of events.

Last night the qualifying and semi-final rounds were contested, and the wrestling was witnessed by a crowd which filled every available place in the gallery and on the gymnasium floor. Tonight the final round in all weights will be wrestled, and at the conclusion of the program, the gold medals and other prizes will be distributed.

Hotly Contested Events.

All the events were hotly contested, and in the main the young men showed considerable knowledge of the game. The longest, and by many considered the best, bout was that between Lefoe and Virstein, 130 and 128 pounds, respectively, in the semi-finals, and which was won by the former, but it took him 28 minutes to secure a fall. The loser secured a number of holds, but Lefoe, who did most of the aggressive work, succeeded in breaking them.

O. Tracy, 148, and B. Miller, 145, wrestled their final last night, because there were no other entries at 148 and under. Tracy won a fall in 1 minute and 48 seconds. J. Costello and Manon Howells are the only entrants at 155 and under, and they will wrestle tonight.

All bouts are limited to 15 minutes, except the above Lefoe and Virstein match.

Winners of Last Night.

Following are the results of last night's bouts:

128 pounds and under—J. Hammerly (108) won from W. Mack (112) in 11:30 minutes.

Robert McGraw (115) won from P. J. Norton (121) in 4:35 minutes.

F. B. Moriarty (125) won from Robert McGraw (115) in 1:05 minutes.

130 pounds and under—J. Virstein (128) won from James Sullivan (126) in 10:30 minutes.

James Thompson (130) and N. R. Drexel (123½) wrestled to a draw in 15-minute bout.

Charles Lefoe (130) won from L. Smith (125) in 8:45 minutes.

Semi-finals—James Thompson (130) won from N. R. Drexel (123½) in 4:20 minutes.

Charles Lefoe (130) won from J. Virstein (128) in 14:00 minutes.

140 pounds and under—C. J. Slattery (135) won from J. O'Neil (140) in 15 minutes.

Henry Dawson (133) won from John Herford (131) in 4:35 minutes.

Under 148 pounds—O. Tracy (148) won from B. Miller (145) in 1:48 minutes. This was a final as there were no other entries.

Events for Tonight.

The events to be contested tonight are finals, and bring together the best of each of the weights, as follows:

Under 122 pounds—F. B. Moriarty (122) and J. Hammerly (108).

Under 125 pounds—James Thompson (130) and C. Lefoe (130).

Under 140 pounds—Henry Dawson (133) and C. J. Slattery (135).

Under 155 pounds—J. T. Costello (153) and M. Howells (150).

Y. M. C. A. vs. Urells.

One of the best games of the Indoor Baseball League series is promised for tonight, when the Young Men's Christian Association and Urell Rifles teams meet in the association gymnasium, 1732 G Street, at 8:45 o'clock. The association is the local champion, but it will have to work hard to win from the Rifles, who have been strengthened by Ravens, one of the best local pitchers. As an additional feature the Y. M. C. A. graded class will give an Indian club drill, beginning at 8 o'clock, and promises to be quite interesting.

HARMONY EXISTS IN THE NATIONAL LEAGUE

Dreyfuss Believes It Victorious Over Rival.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 6.—"Efforts of the American League element to stir up trouble in the old National will be a failure. They might as well stop circulating their tales."

So declared Colonel Dreyfuss on his return from a Western trip which took him in Cincinnati, Louisville, and Indianapolis.

"Though I would prefer to have Mr. Temple president of the league, and feel sure that he would have gotten the unanimous vote, I will not fight any plan for the good of the organization."

"Harmony will be the keynote of the session next week. I am of the opinion that the gathering will be a record breaker for unanimity. The league is going to stick together for moves for the general good of the old union. We have a good circuit, and the prospects for next year could not be better. I met Mr. Brush in Indianapolis last night. He was in rare good humor over the outlook. He feels sure that the National has won the battle with the organization which took so many of its players."

On arriving home the Pittsburgh owner found a letter from Colonel Rogers, of the Philadelphia Club, saying that he regretted inability to attend next week's meeting.

Mr. Dreyfuss was positive that the American League had been balked in its movement to locate a club in New York city. "Why should Kilfoyle be hunting a ground if he had one?" asked the Pittsburgh man.

WELL PLAYED GAME

WON BY THE MORTONS

Fast Contest, in Which Umpires Used Their Authority.

One of the best played games of the District Basketball League series was played last night in the Guard's Center Market gymnasium and resulted in a victory for the Morton Cadets over the Y. M. C. A. by a score of 19 to 12.

The game was fast and whatever roughness crept in was the result of the glib nature of the play. Whenever there was any semblance of slugging or intentional roughness, Umpires Handen and Manon stopped the game and warned the players, and on second offense put the guilty ones out of the game, and among those relieved of duty were the captains of the two teams.

The Mortons are playing a strong game this season, and their splendid showing is a credit to the players and their manager.

At the end of the first half the score stood 8 to 1 in favor of the Mortons and then the Association boys woke up, and quickly cut down the lead and saved themselves from a bad defeat. Rice scored seven free goals on offense and led his team for field goals, making three from floor plays.

Between the twenty-minute halves, Fred Hoover, James Dwyer, both Morton boys, gave an interesting wrestling bout, in which the former won a fall in five minutes.

The line up:

Mortons. Positions. Y. M. C. A. Richards.....R. F.....Bateman Baum Hughes, Yoder.....L. F.....James Rice.....Center.....Craig, Woodhead M. McQueen.....R. B.....Bopp W. McQueen.....L. B.....Hughes

Field goals—Richards, 2; Baum, 1; Rice, 3; White, 2; James, 1. Free goals—Rice, 7; James, 2; Bopp, 1; Craig, 2. Referee—Mr. Chick. Umpires—Messrs. Handen and Manon. Timers—Messrs. McGowan and Canfield. Scorers—Messrs. Richmond and Bouvet.

TOWNSEND LOYAL TO WASHINGTON CLUB

Pitcher Albert Orth, who announced several days ago that he would remain loyal to the Washington club, has received a personal letter from Jack Townsend, who signed a contract last season to play with the Washington club. Townsend said he had not signed any contract other than with Manager Loftus. Jack hastens to explain that he has not seen McGraw, nor does he want to be wished to fulfill his Washington contract, and then he will consider others.

Orth left this city last night for his home in Lynchburg, Va. He declared that he intended to don his uniform jacket and remain in the woods until it got warm enough for the national game.

"I hope no more contract jumping rumors will be circulated to disturb my pleasure," said Al as he left the Cochran Hotel last night.

LIPTON INSPECTS CHALLENGER.

GLASGOW, Dec. 6.—Sir Thomas Lipton, with Commodore Sharnan-Crawford of the Royal Ulster Yacht Club, and Designer Fife, paid a visit to the yards of Denny Bros. at Dumbarton this morning and inspected the work on the new challenger for the America's cup.

EXCHANGE OF TROOPS FOR GOOD OF SERVICE

Regiments to Relieve Those in the Philippines.

An order has been issued by the War Department providing for the exchange of fifteen Philippine regiments or organizations with the same number of troops in the United States. The home troops are to start for the islands from San Francisco on February 1, and the insular regiments will leave the islands as soon as they are relieved by the arrival of those from this country.

The home troops ordered to the Philippines are as follows:

Cavalry—The Thirteenth, now at Fort Meade, South Dakota, and Fort Keogh, Montana; the Twelfth, now at Fort Clarke and Fort Sam Houston, Texas; the Fourth, now at Fort Grant, Arizona; Fort Duquesne, Utah; Fort Huachuca, Arizona; Fort Logan, Colorado, and Fort Wingate, New Mexico.

Coast Artillery—The Tenth Company, now at Fort Getty, South Carolina; the Thirtieth, now at Fort Caswell, North Carolina; the Eighty-fifth, at Fort Wadsworth, and 108th, at Fort William, Maine.

Field Artillery—The Ninth Company, at Fort Sheridan, Illinois; the Seventh, at Fort Houston, Texas, and the Eighth, at the Presidio, San Francisco.

Infantry—Fourteenth Regiment, now at Fort Wayne and Fort Brady, Michigan; and Fort Porter, New York; Eighteenth, at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming; Fort Logan, Colorado, and Whipple Barracks, Arizona; Twenty-third, at Plattsburg, N. Y.; Fourth, at Fort Sam Houston, Fort Brown, Fort Wilegate, Fort McIntosh, and Eagle Pass, all in Texas, and the Seventeenth Regiment, at Vancouver Barracks, Washington; Boise Barracks, Idaho, and Fort Wright and Fort Lawson, Washington.

The troops to be sent home from the Philippines and their disposition in the United States are as follows:

Cavalry—Sixth Regiment, in the Department of Dakota; First Regiment, Department of Texas; Fifth Regiment, Department of Colorado.

Artillery—Twenty-fifth, Twenty-seventh, Thirty-first, and Thirty-sixth companies, coast artillery, and the Fourteenth, Fifteenth, and Twenty-fifth batteries of field artillery, to be assigned to stations upon arrival at San Francisco.

Infantry—First Regiment, headquarters and two battalions to be selected by the regimental commander, to the Department of the Lakes, the remaining battalion to the Department of the East; Second Regiment, Department of the Colorado; Fifth Regiment, Department of the East; Twenty-sixth Regiment, Department of Texas, and Tenth Regiment, Department of the Columbia.

The order specifies in detail the time and place at which each regiment shall relieve the other in the Philippines.

FORM REVERSAL AT NEW ORLEANS TRACK

Only Four Go to the Post in Feature Event of Day's Card.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 6.—Yesterday was a day of excitement. Accidents, a disqualification, and form reversals helped to make the racing over a muddy track lively enough for the regular.

In the fourth race, the feature event of the card, only four went to the post, with Jessie Jarboe on the inside rail and Rolling Boer on the outside. Kilogram and Jack De Mund were in between the pair. Haack shot across the track with Jarboe and jammed the favorite, Jack De Mund, against the rail, putting him out of his stride. Jessie Jarboe was disqualified and placed last. After the race Haack was called into the stand by the stewards and given a lecture.

Nobleman, in the sixth race, in an attempt to get through on the outside rail, was cut off and fell, breaking both his fore legs. He had to be destroyed. Louder, his jockey sustained a broken collar bone. After the third race Owner Flier and Jockey Walsh were called into the stand by the stewards.

Entries for Today.

First race—Selling; two-year-olds; five furlongs. Anslinger, 97; Kiowasa, Mount Hope, and Pure Dale, 99 each; Agnes Mack, Florestan, Dockwood, and Crutchfield, 102 each; Vineland, 103; Tom Maybin, 104, and Tanager, 110.

Second race—Selling; seven furlongs. Lord Pepper, 105; Lattson, John Potter, Macdon, Ben Frost, and Irving Mayor, 107 each; Nabokish, Moroni, and Guatama, 110 each.

Third race—Selling; six furlongs. Della Ontrand, Flanner, Cherries, and Ruby Jay, 100 each; Little Jack Horner, and Hunt, 102 each; Peat, Flop, and Aella, 105 each; Four Leaf Clover and Peter Duryea, 107 each.

Fourth race—Paietto Sweepstakes; \$2,000 added; two-year-olds; six furlongs. Purse, all ages; five furlongs. Glenneville, 93; Pride of Kilgore, 94; Velasquez, 111; Scorpio, 115; Brandy-smash, and Hermosa, 118 each; The Lady and Hi Kollar, 119 each.

Sixth race—Selling; one and one-quarter miles. Lou Woods, 95; Optimo and Fothern, 95 each; Ernie, 100; Marcos, 101; Ceylon, 103; Prince Blazes, and Barack, 109 each.

LOCAL MENTION.

Tree tops, favors, snap pictures—Gould's.

THE DEATH RECORD.

The following deaths for twenty-four hours were reported at the Health Department up to noon today:

Margaret Willner, 84 years. James Osborn, 51 years. Jesse W. Crane, 53 years. John G. Trice, 22 years. Albert L. Ford, 5 months. Artiles Lucas, 4 months.

WRECKED FREIGHT CARS AFIRE.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Dec. 6.—All traffic on the main line of the Central Railroad of New Jersey was blocked at midnight by a head-on collision between two fast freight trains at Grace-land, near Westfield. The wreckage caught fire, and the Westfield fire department was summoned to fight the flames.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

Promotes the growth of the hair and gives it the lustre and silkiness of youth. When the hair is gray or faded it brings back the youthful color. It prevents the hair from falling and keeps the scalp clean and healthy.

THE NEWS OF GEORGETOWN.

The Chesapeake and Ohio canal will close down this year about December 15, when the water will be drawn off the upper levels, and the work of repairing the waterway begun. The water will not be drawn from the Georgetown level, as it furnishes power to all of the Georgetown mills. The waterway will reopen about March 15. This season has been one of the busiest experienced by the canal company for several years, though traffic has been somewhat handicapped.

Heretofore, every winter from one to two thousand tons of Cumberland coal have been saved by the Georgetown dealers to meet extra demands. This year, no surplus coal has been received by the dealers. In fact, scarcely enough has been obtained to meet the regular demand. This is due to the low condition of the water in the canal. The boats could not carry full cargoes.

Next year, the canal company will have facilities to ship at least 30 per cent more coal than it has in these previous. It is said that in the past summer, 1,600 tons of Cumberland coal have been shipped over the Chesapeake and Ohio canal to Georgetown dealers, daily, the majority of which was consumed by the street railroad and gas companies, of Washington. All of the coal shipped to Georgetown over the canal is controlled by three local dealers.

The grand lodge of Good Templars of the District met at Good Templar Hall, Tenleytown, last night, and conferred the grand lodge degree upon fifteen representatives of the different lodges of the District. After the degree was administered, the grand lodge opened in the subordinate degree and reports of the grand chief templar, S. W. Russell, Grand Secretary John Bryson, Grand

Treasurer Lieutenant Daly, and Chairman of the Finance Committee L. L. Corby, were presented and examined by the proper committees.